BACK BAY LANDING PROJECT Harbor Commission



November 13, 2013



PURPOSE OF MEETING

Provide an overview of proposed project

Provide status of the Draft EIR

Answer questions

 Receive harbor-related comments on Development Plan



PROPOSED PROJECT

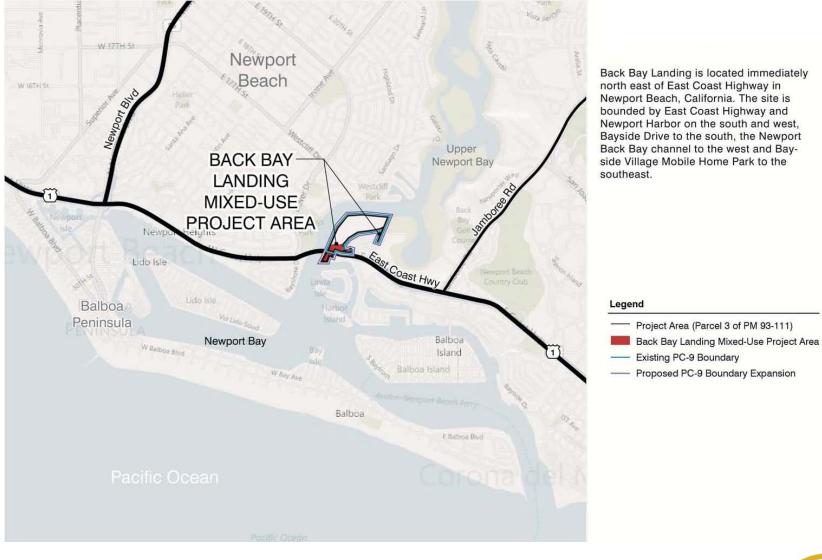
- The Back Bay Landing project involves two stages of approvals:
 - 1. Legislative Approvals (e.g., General Plan Amendment, Coastal Land Use Plan Amendment, Planned Community Development Plan), which comprise the current "proposed project"; and
 - 2. Administrative Approvals (e.g., Site Development Review, Coastal Development Permit), which will be pursued at a later date for a future development on the project site.



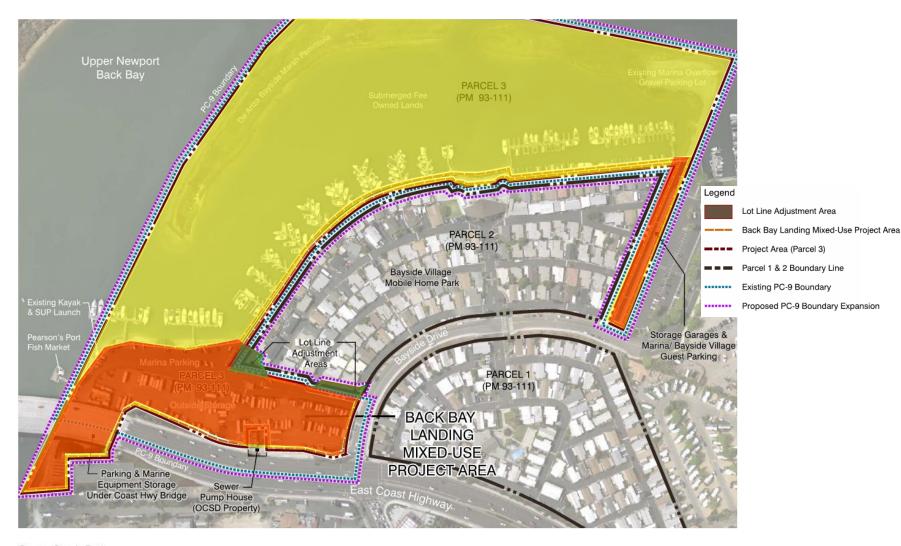
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While only Legislative Approvals are currently being sought, the EIR will evaluate impacts of the currently proposed Legislative Approvals, as well as those of the future development project to the extent feasible.









Source: Google Earth

Existing Condition, Project Boundary & Lot Line Adjustment



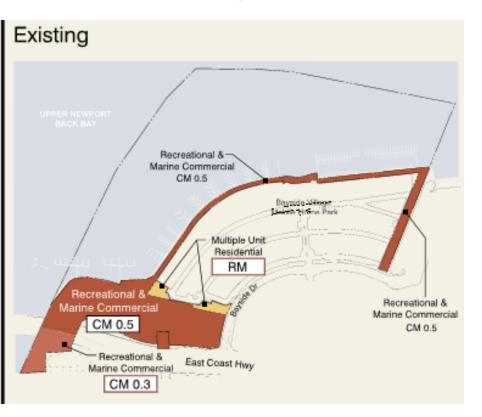


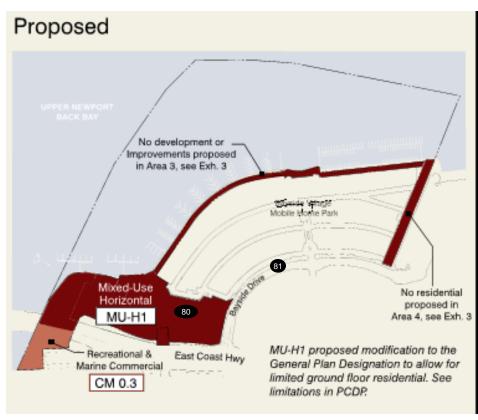
PROPOSED PROJECT

- Legislative Approvals currently being requested:
 - General Plan Amendment (GPA)
 - Coastal Land Use Plan (CLUP) Amendment
 - PC-9 Amendment (Zone Change)
 - Planned Community Development Plan (PCDP)
 - Lot Line Adjustment (LLA)
 - Traffic Study



General Plan Amendment





Changes: CM 0.3 no change, CM 0.5 & RM changed to MU-H1

Anomaly



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Nonresidential Only 131,290 SF

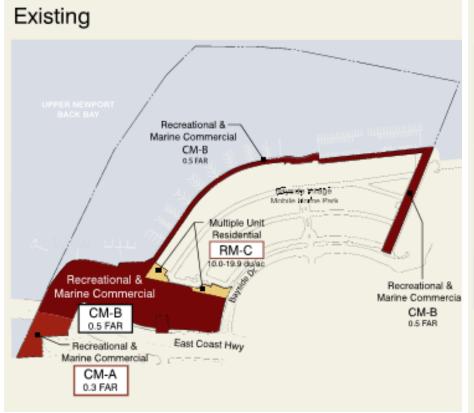
171,289 SF 1:1 ratio 49 units

Mixed-Use

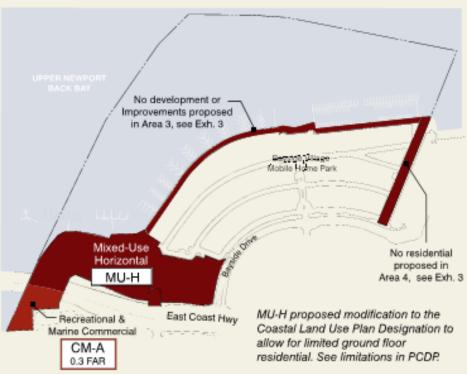
296 units



Coastal Land Use Plan Amendment



Proposed

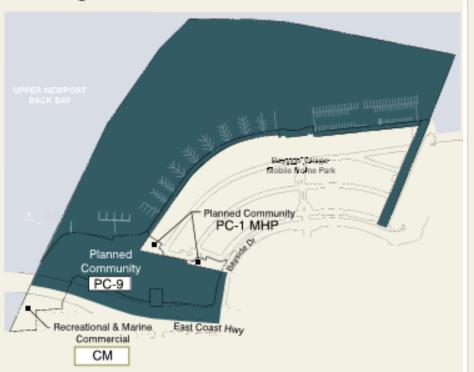


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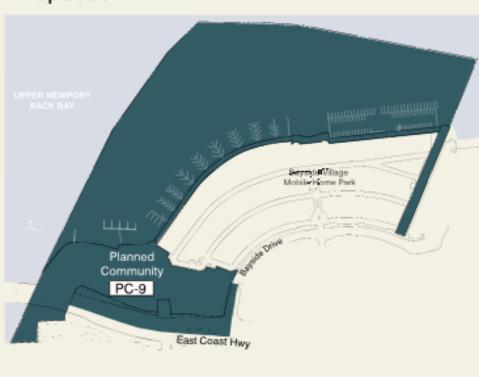


Zoning Amendment

Existing



Proposed



Changes: PC-9 boundary extended to include (PC-1 MHP) LLA & project area south of CH centerline



Planned Community Development Plan

Purpose

 establish zoning regulations governing land use and development of the site

 provides a vision for land uses on the site and establish design guidelines

regulates long-term operation of the site



Planned Community Development Plan

Permitted Uses

- marine-related (e.g. enclosed dry-stack boat storage, marina, boat sales, boat rentals, boat service, kayak and paddleboard rentals, etc.)
- visitor-serving commercial and recreational uses (e.g. retail, restaurant, personal services, office, etc.)
- residential (vertical mixed-use and freestanding)

Development Standards

 Setbacks, Building Heights, Residential, Parking, Landscaping, Bulkhead, Dredging, Public Bayfront Promenade and Trail, Vehicular Circulation, Lighting, Signage, Utilities, Sustainability, Public Improvements

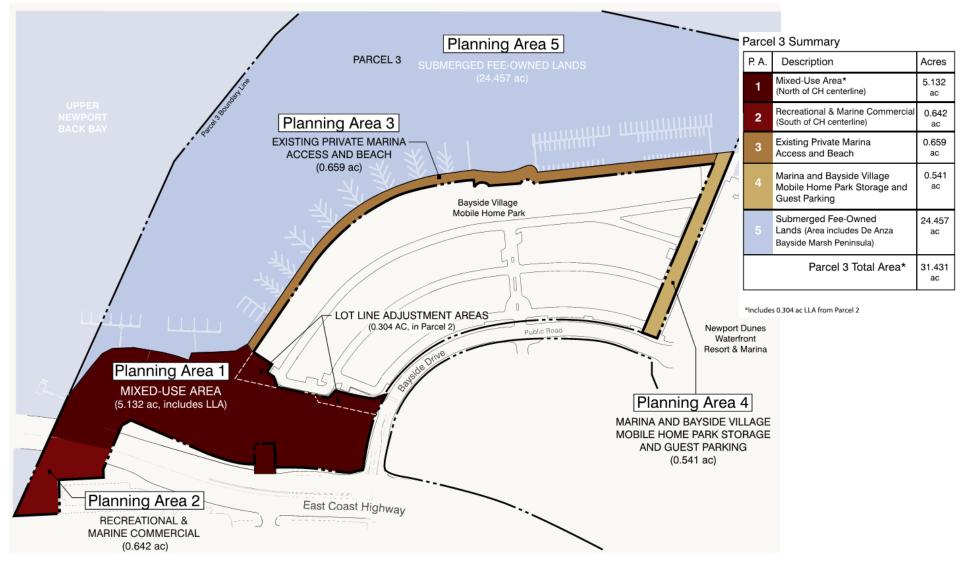
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Design Guidelines

 Architectural Theme, Site Planning, Building Massing, Façade Treatments, Public Views, Parking Structure, Public Spaces, Landscaping, Hardscape, and Signs

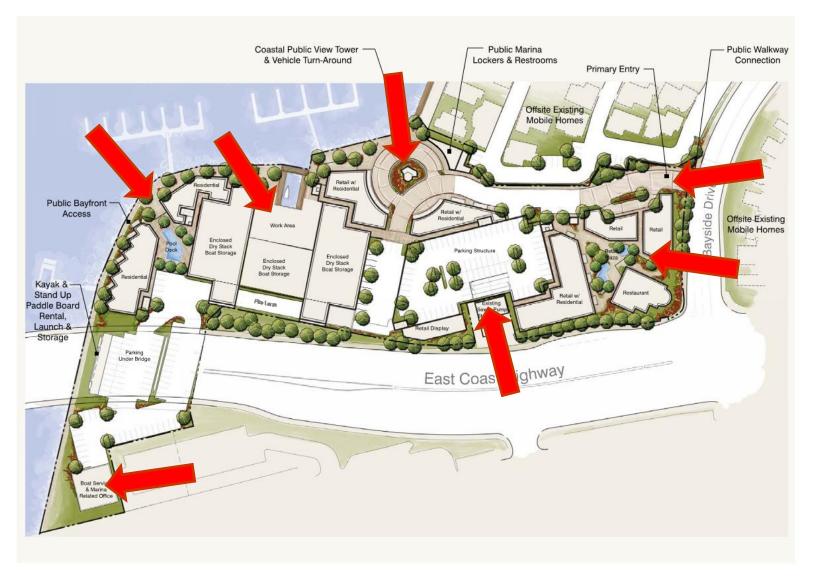
Implementation

- Site Development Review- Planning Commission Public Hearing
- Ensure future development is fully consistent with General Plan, Coastal Land Use Plan, and Back Bay Landing Planned Community Development Plan, including design guidelines.



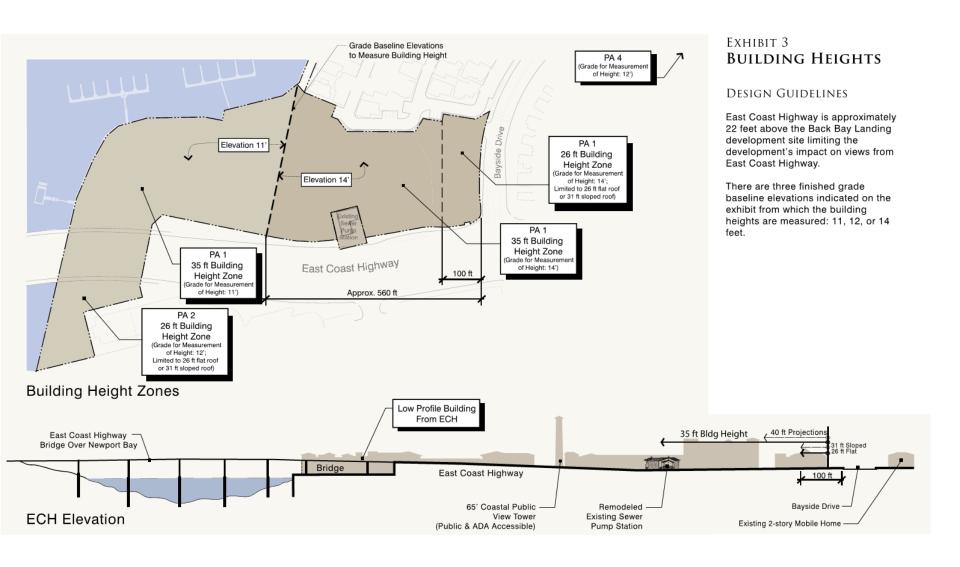
Planning Areas





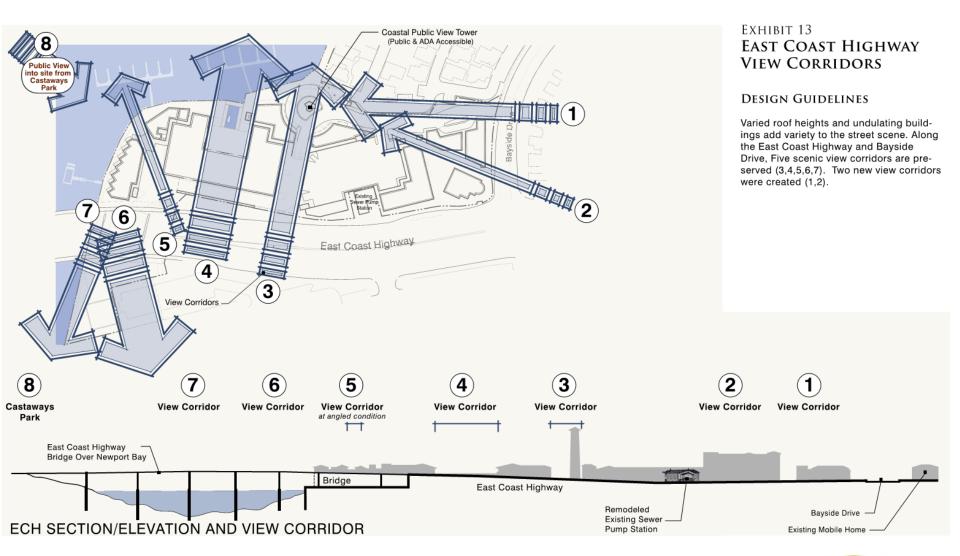
Conceptual Site Plan





Building Heights





View Corridors

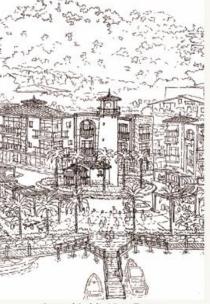




East Coast Highway and Bayside Drive



Visitor-Serving Commercial



Coastal Public View Tower



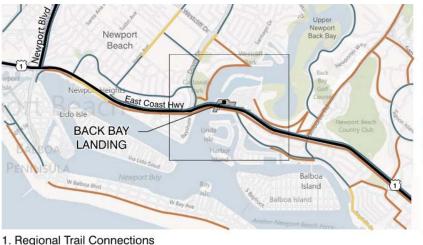
Public Bayfront Promenade



View from Bridge along East Coast Highway

Coastal Mediterranean Theme





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3. Current Lack of Trail Connection



New Public
Bayfront Access
New Class 1 & 3
Off-Street Bikeway
& Pedestrian Trail

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4. Critical Trail Connections

COASTAL ACCESS AND REGIONAL TRAIL CONNECTIONS

Back Bay Landing provides coastal access and a critical link between existing regional trails.

- 1. Regional Trail Connections
- 2. Proposed Coastal Access
- 3. Current Lack of Trail Connection
- 4. Critical Trail Connections

Legend

Trail Types

New Public Bayfront Access Accessible to Pedestrians & Cyclists

New Class 1 & 2 Off-Street Bikeway & Pedestrian Trail

New Class 1 & 3 Off-Street Bikeway & Pedestrian Trail

Existing Class 1 Trail

Existing Class 2 Trail

Existing Class 3 Trail

Lateral Access

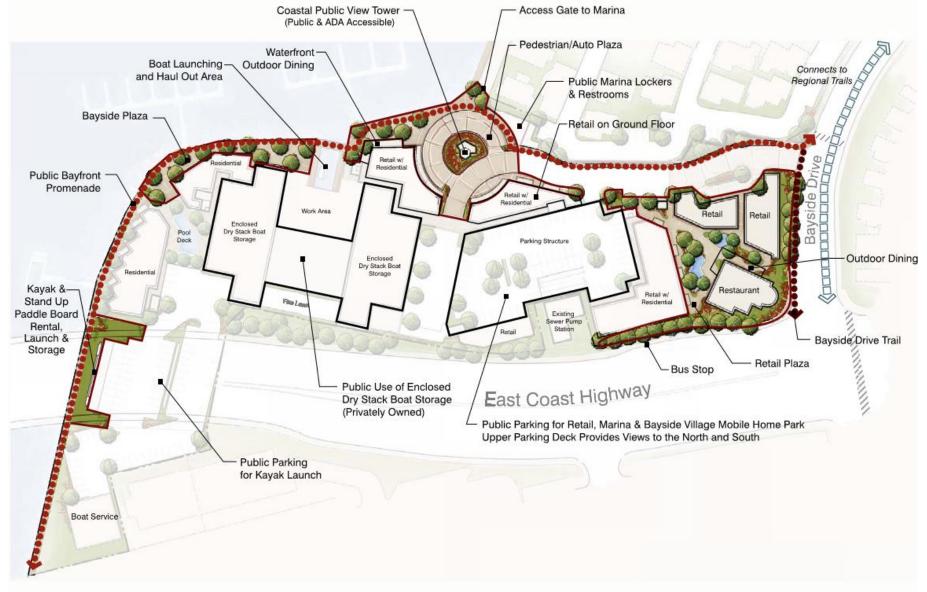
Vertical Access

▲ Public Beach Access Location

Public View Point

Public Access and Trail



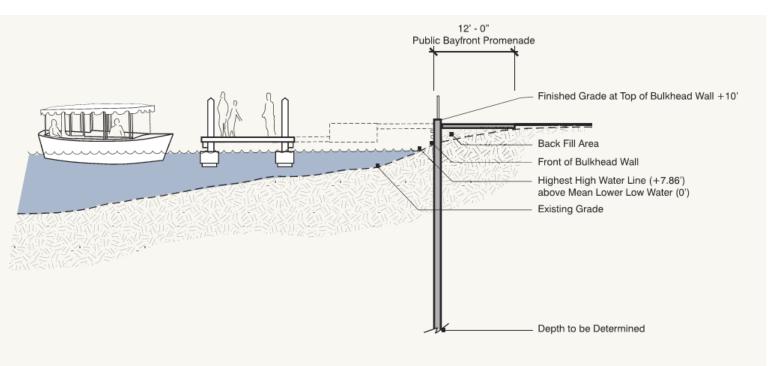


Public Spaces



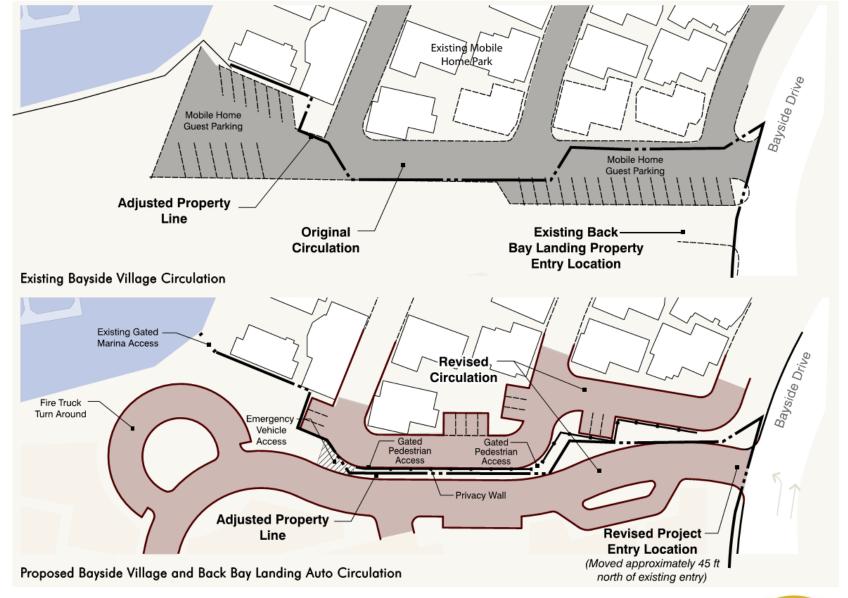
Bulkhead

The project bulkhead may be built to the Highest High Water elevation of 7.86' relative to Mean Lower Low Water (0.0') or 7.48'/NAVD 88 to preserve the natural profile along the shoreline adjacent to the County Tidelands, subject to consistency findings in the Coastal Act and City of Newport Beach Coastal Land Use Policies.



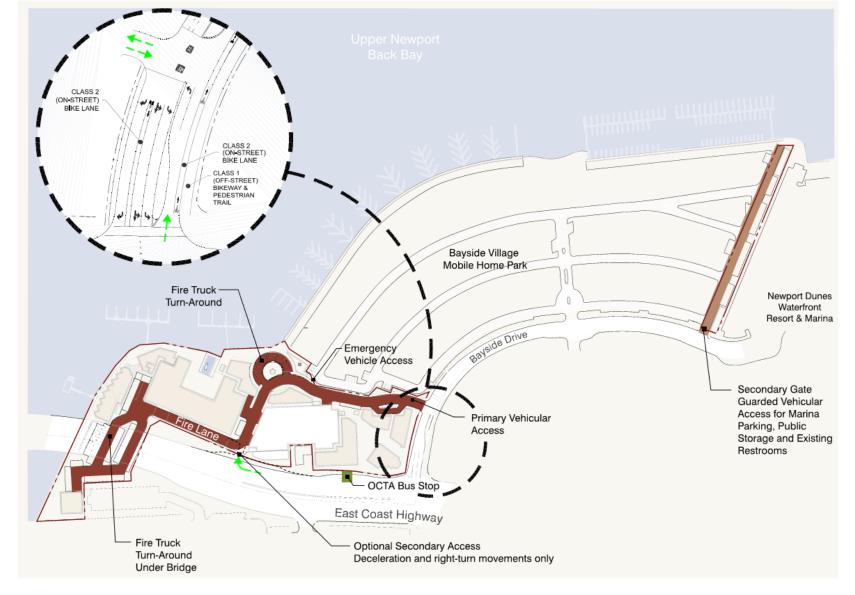
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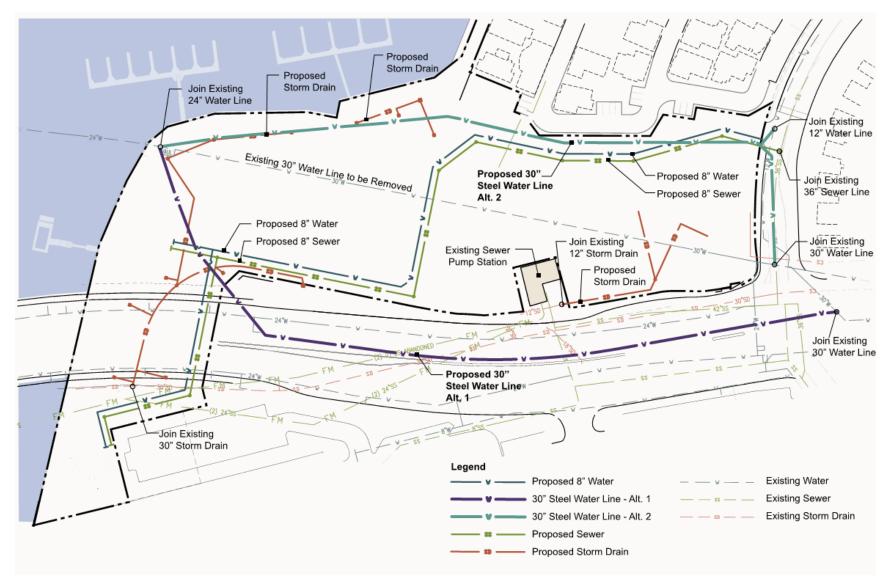
Relocated Driveway/Lot Line Adj.





Street Improvements





Utility Improvements



ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT

- The Draft EIR analyzes potential environmental impacts resulting from a future project developed consistent with the development limits, standards, and guidelines established in Draft PCDP and required public improvements.
- 45-day public review period –
 October 4, 2013 to November 18, 2013
- Written responses to comments to be included in Final EIR



ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES TO BE ANALYZED IN THE EIR

- Aesthetics
- Air Quality
- Biological Resources
- Cultural Resources (Archaeology, Paleontology, and Historic Resources)
- Geology/Soils
- Greenhouse Gas Emissions
- Hazards/Hazardous Materials
- Hydrology/Water Quality

- Land Use/Planning
- Noise
- Population/Housing
- Public Services (Fire, Police, Schools, Libraries, Parks)
- Recreation
- Transportation/Traffic
- Utilities and Services
 Systems (Water, Sewer,
 Solid Waste)
- Project Alternatives
- Growth Inducement



Maximum Development Scenario

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North of East Coast Highway Centerline (PA 1 and 4)

Retail/Marine Sales and Repair 32,859 square feet

Quality Restaurant 4,100 square feet

High-Turnover Restaurant 3,500 square feet

Office 8,685 square feet

Enclosed Dry-Stack Boat Storage 32,500 square feet (up to 140 spaces)

Storage Area (resident and boat lockers) 4,000 square feet

Non-Residential Total North of East Coast Highway Centerline: 85,644 square feet

Residential Total North of East Coast Highway Centerline: 85,644 square feet (up to 49 units)

South of East Coast Highway Centerline (PA 2)

Non-residential (marine services, office) 8,390 square feet

Project Site Total 179,678 square feet

Marina (existing) 220 wet slips



HARBOR GOALS AND POLICIES

- Preservation and Enhancement of Water-Dependant and Related Uses
 - Dry boat storage
 - Recreational activities: boating, fishing, kayaking/SUP, bay front promenade, view points
 - Commercial activities: boat rentals and sales, marine service, retail, restaurants
- Waterfront Public Spaces
- New Public Access and Facilities
 - Bay front promenade, trail connections, restrooms, lockers, view tower, plazas, parking, small vessel launch





Next Steps:

- •Planning Commission Public Hearing Dec. 19, 2013
- •City Council TBD
- California Coastal Commission-TBD

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